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Exchanges

Dr. Christopher C. Kohler from Southern Illinois University and the American Fisheries Society attended Japanese Fisheries Society Meeting from March -April, 2006 Visited Japanese research facilities April 2006.

Dr. Takeshi Onuma from Professor Urano's lab at Hokkaido University as a Guest Researcher with Dr. Penny Swanson at NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center in Seattle, April-July 2006

Dr. Takeshi Miura from Ehime University as a Guest Researcher with Dr. Penny Swanson at NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center in Seattle, August 2006

Dr James Sullivan from UJNR panel (Hawaii Sea Grant) as a visitor with Dr. Seki, Director General, of the Shiogama Laboratory in Sendai. January 2006.

Dr. Masashi Yokota from Tokyo University of Science and Technology as a Visiting Scientist with Dr. Robin Waples at NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center in Seattle, March 2005 - February 2006.

Dr. Robin Waples from NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center as a vistor with Dr. Shuichi Kitada at the Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology in Tokyo, November 2005

Dr. Robin Waples from NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center collaborated with Dr. Hitoshi Araki who is a post-doc at Oregon State University, Newport. Various months 2006.

Over 25 Japanese scientists attended the 3rd International Symposium on Stock Enhancement and Sea Ranching held in Seattle in September 2006. Dr. Shuichi Kitada from Tokyo University and Dr. Rejii Masuda from Kyoto University served on the International Scientific Committee for this symposium.

Dr. Toyomitsu Horii (National Research Institute of Fisheries Science) and Michael B. Rust (Northwest Fisheries Science Center) co-convened a PICES science topic session on Aquaculture and sustainable management of the marine ecosystem, held in Yokohama, Japan.

Dr. Katsuyuki Abo from the National Research Institute of Aquaculture will be visiting and working with Dr. Dale Kiefer at the University of Southern California sometime in the next year.